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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25th, 1908.

A GOOD RAILWAY POLICY.

The Calgary Herald's railway policy is meeting with much favorable comment throughout the province. The News is heartily in accord with that policy. Railways, more railways, railways at any cost is what the people of Alberta should insist upon. The government of Alberta should see that the people have communication with the outside world. What use is there in bringing in a settler and placing him on a farm forty miles out in the country where he cannot reach any point within a day's travel? If the government want settlers they must provide railways, and that as quickly as possible. The News is in favor of a railway every twenty miles. If such a thing could be, Alberta would soon be the most wealthy and prosperous province in Canada. We have the rich land and the fine climate. All we want is the settlers and the railways. Give us the railways and the settlers will follow as daylight follows darkness.

Mr. R. C. Brumpton, president of the Board of Trade, wrote the Herald as follows:

"I am reading with much interest your letters as published about our northern country and should like to know if it is your intention to publish this in pamphlet form. I am under the impression that such valuable information should not be lost sight of and if you publish it in book or pamphlet form should like to get a number of copies. I do not think our government could do better than have a quantity of these published to use as advertising matter and let the outside world know of our heritage."

The Herald replied that it had kept the type matter of all these letters intact so that it would be available if desired for permanent publication but said that no definite plan for doing so had yet been formulated.

Mr. Brumpton, in a further letter, suggested that all the Boards of Trade of the province be made aware of this fact and that some concerted action be taken in the matter of a publicity campaign.

THAT OPEN LETTER.

The Advocate published an open letter to the School Board last week in which it tells its readers, in the words of the good old Episcopal prayer, of the many things the members have left undone that they should have done, and the many things they have done which they should have left undone. And there was no health in them. Well, there was considerable truth in what the Advocate said, but none of us are perfect. The fact remains that the Inspector's report just received is the best ever received by the Board. The school was never doing such good work. The staff is excellent, the grounds have been fixed up, walks laid, and the basement perfected. The expenses have been kept down and the best interests of the ratepayers protected. What more can be said? The Board was not present at the reports, through neglect; weren't at the convention because it was about four days before the election and there were other things going on then; and the medals were overlooked because the chairman lost the copy among his papers, through an accident, and is willing to shoulder the blame.

The letter charges the Board of not holding up its end with other towns along the line. That is merely a matter of opinion. Probably, a biased opinion, at that, and unjustifiable. These very schools point to Red Deer Board as an example for others to follow.

Only one meeting was missed this year, that was October, and the Board has held some six special meetings, so the members have not been altogether idle, by any means.

The inspector, principal and staff are all during their utmost, says the Advocate. To be sure they are, and they are paid for doing so. The Board will strive, however, to exist and improve; and when they reach the Advocate's standard they will fly away to that unknown region from whence no traveller returns. They will be too good to reside here. They will have wings.

THE LAY MISSIONARY MOVEMENT.

The meeting on Wednesday evening last was the first of its kind ever held in Red Deer and it is confidently felt it has accomplished much good in bringing the Protestant churches of the town closer together and causing a feeling of union to pervade the whole body. That this missionary work is taking firm hold of the people at large there can be no doubt and the kindly words spoken in favor of the work last week will do much towards giving the movement a start in our fair town that will end in the amount being subscribed that is asked for and that we will have the proud satisfaction of feeling we have done our duty in bringing light to the heart of many now living in darkness.

Does Farming Pay?

WELL, I GUESS SO!

Generally speaking, diversified farming is more profitable than special farming, but many instances may be pointed out where special wheat farming has proven very advantageous. Below we submit a statement which we received from Mr. Adolph Nelson, a farmer who has made a specialty of wheat growing on his farm near Cayley ever since he has been in the country. He has demonstrated the fact that farming pays in Alberta. Even last year he declared a substantial dividend and the harvest of 1907 was the worst the country has ever seen. Here are Mr. Nelson's figures, and if there are any doubting Thomases they are privileged to enquire at the grain elevator, where he sold all his grain, or to his banker where the money is deposited.

"On my section near Cayley I had 389 acres under winter wheat, which yields me 46 bushels to the acre, making a total of 15,000 bu. I had the wheat hauled direct from the threshing to the elevator, and two-thirds of the wheat graded No. 1 and the balance No. 2. I received on an average 70c. per bushel, or the grand total of \$10,950.

The expenses in connection with breaking, discing, seeding, rolling, etc., amounting to \$13.33, which is made up as follows:

Breaking	\$3.00
Discing and harrowing four times	\$2.00
Rolling and seeding	\$1.00
Seed, 1 bush. per acre	.75
Cutting with binder	.75
Stooking	.40
Twine, 6 lb. to acre, 12c. per lb.	.72
Threshing, 9 cts. per bu.	\$4.14
Hauling to elevator	.57

Total, per acre, \$13.33
The gross receipts from each acre was \$32.10, and deducting the cost of harvesting, etc., Mr. Nelson received the snug sum of \$18.87 per acre.—High River Times.

A clergyman writes: "Preventives, those little Candy Cane Cure Tablets are working wonders in my parish. Preventives surely will check a cold, or the Grippe, in a few hours. And Preventives are so safe and harmless. No Quinine, nothing harsh nor sickening. Fine for feverish restless children. Box of 25c. Sold by Brown's Pharmacy."

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Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

The Alberta Conference of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew will be held in Edmonton from February the 18th to the 21st inclusive, 1909. This will be the second annual conference to be held in Alberta; the first was held in Calgary last February and was very successful. The local Chapters having assumed the responsibility for the success of this forthcoming conference, are now issuing preliminary notices to all Chapters in the Province; and will be glad to hear from anyone interested. All communications, whether containing suggestions or enquiries, will be gratefully received by the Secretary, R. S. Young, Imperial Bank, Edmonton.

It is hoped that all interested in brotherhood work will take an active part in insuring the success of the conference; and that all Chapters in the Diocese will be well represented.

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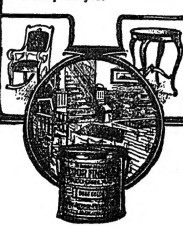
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HALL'S GREAT PROFIT SHARING SALE GOES MERRILY ON.

Our sales last week were almost double that of any week since our coming to Red Deer. This fact alone proves to us that the people appreciate the manner in which we are conducting this Big Profit-Sharing Sale. A dollar isn't any bigger in our store than elsewhere. It merely looks bigger, because its purchasing power is so greatly increased, particularly now.

Special Clearance of Millinery.

Out of almost 100 Ladies' Dress Hats we have only 35 left, and these go on sale at just 1/4 off the regular price. Come at once, if you haven't got your new hat, as at these prices, so early in the season, they are sure to vanish quickly.

Special Clearance of Children's Shoes, \$1.00 pair.

A big slice has been taken off the former prices. Every vestige of profit to us is gone. We don't want profits now; we want the room. We want to get these shoes out of our store and on to your children's feet. About 50 pairs in the lot, in boys' and girls'—sizes run from 10 to 2—in heavy and medium weights. The former values were up to \$1.75 pair.

All now go at one price—\$1.00 Pair.

Don't Forget Us on Furs

We have a nice stock of Choice Furs, all this year's styles, and we have marked them close. When you are in, ask to see them.

A Special Picture Buy

When in the East we picked up about 50 pretty pictures, a line regularly worth 50c. Our Special Price is 35c.

We do not invite comparison of values. It would be absurd to think of the stores in town matching our present prices here. To follow our lead would take a barrel of money, and most stores hesitate on that account.

SPECIAL! Watch out for our special ad in reference to a big sale of Men's Clothing we intend putting on in a few days. You'll get the biggest bargains ever given in Red Deer on new up-to-date goods.

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THE LAYMEN'S SUPPER.

STIRRING ADDRESSES BY
PROMINENT VISITORS.

The supper given by the Executive of the Lay Missionary movement in Red Deer, on Wednesday evening last, was a pronounced success. There were about sixty of the leading citizens of the town present. The supper was held in the store lately occupied by R.C. Brumpton, and the room was nicely fitted up with flags and bunting. Mr. and Mrs. Sage, of the English Cafe, provided the supper, to which all ample justice.

The meeting was called to hear addresses on the Missionary movement, which is at present sweeping over the continent. E. Michener, president of the local association, occupied the chair; and addresses were delivered by C. Staines, Baptist; W.A. Geddes, Anglican; C. Lowe, Presbyterian; and Hon. W. H. Cushing, Methodist; all from Calgary. Short addresses were also given by local ministers, Revs. Goodfield, Huestis, Brown and Moore; and on behalf of the local executive, S. E. McKee and J. A. Carswell.

Among those who were present were:

Walter Green, E. R. Hill, D. G. Horn, Chapman, A. E. Bingham, I. Billingham, F. H. Tallman, A. Forrester, C. E. Hall, S. N. Carswell, L. J. Porter, W. E. Payne, J. W. Wright, R. H. Brown, H. G. Stone, S. Long, H. Meeres, A. M. McDonald, J. J. Gaetz, A. G. Ayres, C. W. G. Moore, W. G. Brown, B. Goodfield, A. H. Ilsey, S. E. McKee, J. McVicar, H. Ilsey.

P. Rice, F. W. Plank, Rev. C. H. Huestis, J. A. Youmans, Rev. Jos. Woodworth, Provost; E. M. Willson, H. H. Gaetz, K. M. Byers, G. W. Greene, J. R. Cowell, R. C. Brumpton, F. Turnbull, W. T. Coote, R. B. Welliver, G. H. Harvey, Dr. Rowntree, C. J. Ward, W. J. Botterell, W. G. McKee, C. W. Parke, H. J. Snell, A. D. Perrier, C. G. Snell, L. M. Gaetz, R. P. Graham, A. Tait, F. W. Galbraith, Dan Smith, H. Jamieson, and J. A. Carswell.

The chairman, E. Michener, opened proceedings by explaining the work already done by the churches in different parts of the continent, and made a stirring address relating to the movement in Alberta and Red Deer. He called on C. Staines to address the meeting.

Mr. Staines opened his remarks by giving some interesting figures. He said some people thought we were doing much more for missions here than in the old country, whereas the opposite was the result. Canada and the United States gave \$4,450,000 for missions, while Great Britain gave \$9,381,000. The 13,000 missionaries in the field now could evangelize 335 millions during this generation, but there would be still 675 millions unprovided for. It would only take a little more effort on the part of everybody to evangelize the world. This was not a bad or a passing wave of enthusiasm. He drew attention to China and Japan. China was using the bible in the schools to learn of the western people's greatness. Japan was able to take charge of her own mission work without outside assistance. He felt if every man did his share the world would be evangelized in

twenty years. He said 35 per member of every church would evangelize the world. He urged those present to give, and liberally, and help on this great movement.

W. A. Geddes was the next speaker. He said this was one of the greatest movements on earth. He was glad the time had come when a man could talk with his neighbor on matters of religion without being called a hypocrite.

The church today is not only working for his town and for his country, but for the uttermost parts of the earth. 1,000,000,000 people are yet in darkness, and many a stirring will go down into darkness in the next 21 years unless we help. He spoke of the awful superstition in China. A mother watched her sick child, it was dying. She dare not touch it. The demons must have it to punish her. No hope for her darling. It must die. The cart was approaching the house to take her babe from her to the burial ground. It was still alive. The mother-in-law said the demon must be palliated, and the little one, still alive, is thrown into the cart with other bodies, to die on the way and taken to the open grave where they are dumped in and covered with lime. On the horror of it. "We must help," said the speaker. He said some people think we are doing much more for missions here than in the old country, whereas the opposite was the result. Canada and the United States gave \$4,450,000 for missions, while Great Britain gave \$9,381,000. The 13,000 missionaries in the field now could evangelize 335 millions during this generation, but there would be still 675 millions unprovided for. It would only take a little more effort on the part of everybody to evangelize the world. This was not a bad or a passing wave of enthusiasm. He drew attention to China and Japan. China was using the bible in the schools to learn of the western people's greatness. Japan was able to take charge of her own mission work without outside assistance. He felt if every man did his share the world would be evangelized in

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Cassels, Mrs. B. P. Alford, Mrs. Geo. Bell, Mrs. J. Lewis, Miss Gerrie Gaetz, Miss Mary Cowell, Miss Mason, and Miss Good. Messrs. Patchett, Bergfield, and McQueen furnished choice music during the evening.

A Twentieth Century Crusade

The fundamental lesson Christians need to learn today is that love—burning, eager, impatient, dominating love—and not statutes or canons, constitutions or organizations, is the power that will redeem and recreate the world. Such love springs only from the perfect union with God who is love; and the means to that union are prayer, and, above all, the sacrament of love.

The church today does not pray with the sure confidence that its prayers will be answered by an immediate revolution. Therefore it no longer affects the great mass of the life of the world. What reason have we, more than the apostles had, to think that God does not desire the regeneration of the world tomorrow? We say that God's dealings with men show that his methods are infinitely patient; but what is that but to say that the infinite and unending love bears patiently with the continual failure of men to accept the power which is promised to everyone who has faith as a grain of mustard seed.

The apostles knew nothing but Christ crucified, risen and ascended; and therefore human life became to them a new thing. Man ceased, to them, to be material, and became spiritual, actually capable of being immediately filled, if he chose to surrender himself, with indomitable power. They did not postpone the delivery of the message till they had built a stone church with marble floors. They set about regenerating humanity wherever they found it. They knew that if they could reach the heart of a man and fill him with the comprehension of his actual membership in the everliving Christ, he would give all that he had, and do all that he could, to bring about the immediate establishment of Christ's kingdom of peace and righteousness and love.

Many of us, even of those most loyal the church, need to learn that the eternal and unending motive for work for the church is the actual and vital union through prayer of the individual with the being and mind of God, so that we may be filled with His purpose, and labour with Him and for Him in His redemptive and regenerative love.

What the church now needs is a crusade for a new doctrine and practice of prayer—spiritual, vital, immediate, practical. And that is offered now. Representatives of seven lay brotherhoods that the Christian churches of the United States met in Chicago last January to consider how they could best help each other in their common desire for the establishment of the kingdom. The immediate and unanimous decision was that the great need of Christianity today is prayer, and they resolved to urge all Christians, of every name, in every part of the world, to observe the first week in Advent next as a season of special prayer for the spread of the kingdom—prayer so earnest and heart-searching that all Christians be led to recognize their personal responsibility for the effort to hasten its coming.

Let the church preach a crusade for the observance of that week. Let it take the lead in this effort to develop again the need and nature of prayer, and to make men see that eternity is now; and that through prayer we come to the knowledge of God, in which standeth our eternal life. Power from on high will come today, as twenty centuries ago, to those who continue in prayer.

God the Holy Ghost is ready now, as at the first Whitsunday, to fill His church with the power to revolutionize the world, but we do not ask him. It is too true of most of us that our conception of prayer is materialistic, magical. We think of it as a means of reversing the laws of nature, as Aladdin rubbed his lamp. But most men no longer believe that kind of prayer will be answered, and so they do not pray. We rely, not on the power of the Holy Ghost manifested through strong, vital, human personality, but on the power of organizations, congresses, conferences and conventions. We need a revival of the spirit of true prayer, the sense of actual, perpetual communion with God, in which belief that the holy spirit will lead

His church to immediate victory over every problem, however difficult.

The church fears, and with good reason, the unnatural excitement of a preaching "revival." In the week of prayer we have an opportunity for a quiet, praying revival. Suggestions of topics for meditation and prayer for each day of the week are being distributed by the Brotherhood of St. Andrew as widely as possible.

They are only suggestions, and of necessity brief and inadequate. But if our Bishops and Clergy will spend the time between now and Advent Sunday (Nov. 20th) in teaching us what prayer is and how to pray, and if each layman will do his utmost to prepare his heart for the indwelling of the Holy Spirit, and in this week of prayer, will come to know God as never before, then surely all our difficulties and divisions, our timidities and jealousies, will disappear, and with one heart and one mind all who are members of the Holy Church universal will press forward to the immediate establishment of the kingdom of the one Lord, in the one faith, and through the one baptism.

It is needless to point out to churchmen that the observance of the week should begin and end with the Eucharist. May we not hope that a more concerted and vigorous effort than ever before will be begun now, to bring to the altar on Advent Sunday every male communicant throughout the country?—(The Living Church.)

DISTRICT NEWS.

Penhold.

We see the new telephones are being put up in working order. A lot of lively talk is expected over them.

Mr. H. Berkemeyer left for the States with his wife and family, where they intend to make their home in the future.

The skating is in full swing. Large crowds gather on the lake west of the village. The ice is in fine condition.

Quite a lot of grain has been hauled to the Penhold elevator during the last two weeks.

Two men in a rubber tired rig drove into the yard at A. McKenzie where they acted very queer on Tuesday evening last week. It is to be hoped they were not some of the Halloween spooks.

Mrs. Stewart left last week for Banff where she will spend a few days for her health.

Arrangements are now being made for a Christmas concert. A very good program is expected.

Mr. O. D. Fleming has moved into his new house.

Spooks were around knocking at the doors lately. They must have forgotten Halloween was on Oct. 31.

A few of the young people gathered at the residence of Mr. Thos. Field on Wednesday Nov. 6. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. Allan Bethune and Dan McKenzie made a visit to the Kneehills about two weeks ago. The place could not have agreed with Mr. Bethune for he returned home with a very severe cold and was sick in bed for several days.

Mr. Bill Spruhan left town for a few days with the telephone gang last week.

Mr. Wm. Douglas dotted the road with his threshing machine when he was winding up for the fall but it is thought he saved the pieces.

Mr. Bill Spruhan and the school teacher were sporting the rubber tired buggy on Sunday evening last week. What for we wonder.

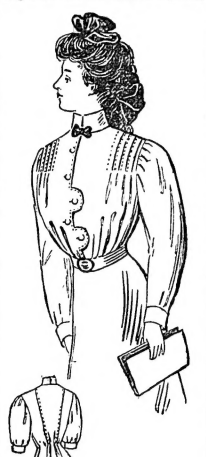
Penhold begins to brighten up as the winter approaches.

A few of the young people were invited to a surprise party at a certain place a few nights ago. Three loads started off and when they reached the place where all were to leave from they found the place had been moved and got lost. As there was a democrat amongst the rige they removed the seals and had a one young man sat on the horses and whistled. A very enjoyable evening was spent watching the stars falling, but it is hoped there will be no more invitations sent out to another party like this as it is getting rather cool now as to dance in the open air.

VANITY'S VISIONS.

Up to Date Buttonholes—Trimming

Carry Out Long Effect. The extremely large buttons used on coats and skirts have brought out a new way of cutting the buttonholes, for now, instead of being just a straight slit, vertical or horizontal, they slant upward, and the button is sewed so that the lower end of the buttonhole just reaches it. This is quite an improvement, for buttons cannot easily slip out of these holes. There is a marked simplicity in the early fall models being shown. Gowns are trimmed and untrimmed, and trimmed gowns are decidedly modest. But no matter how simple or elegant, if it is put on in broken lines, with a long effect here and there at intervals.



THIRTY MORNING WAIST—4165. A pattern of this morning waist is cut in three sizes—for girls fourteen, sixteen and eighteen years of age. Send 10 cents to this office, giving number (4165), and it will be promptly forwarded to you by mail. as in panels, plaits and the like, the long lines of a dress are unaltered. The girl's shirt waist illustrated is a simple and pretty design for school wear. The center fastening is novel and much easier to make than the regulation box plait. To copy such a waist for a girl sixteen years of age requires three and a quarter yards of material twenty-seven inches wide and three-eighths of a yard thirty-six inches wide.

JUDIC CHOLLETT.

WHAT TO WEAR.

Bargains For Thrifty Shopper—Fetich Morning Frocks.

All kinds of pretty trills can be picked up now in the shops that later on will be fine for Christmas presents. This is the harvest time for fore-handled, thrifty shoppers.

Don't go about your house in a kimono or a Mother Hubbard when there are fabrics and patterns for appropriate morning frocks at your very door. Kimonos are charming, but they are at home only in the bedroom or boudoir. A little sack which is quite as comfortable as a kimono if only finished with a belt to insure a trim waistline is permissible.



THESE FINE COMBINATION SUITS—2666. A pattern of this combination suit may be had in sizes from 22 to 44 inches bust measure. Send 10 cents to this office, giving number (2666), and it will be promptly forwarded to you by mail. ed with a belt to insure a trim waistline is permissible. The design illustrated is most satisfactory for wear under the new tight garments. The circular drawers are so cut that they answer the purpose of both drawers and petticoat. The corset cover fits in the back with the exception of a slight fullness at the waist line. JUDIC CHOLLETT.

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Judicial Sale of Farm Property.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

ALBERTA, JUDICIAL

DISTRICT OF WESTERN

AT TANKWILL.

Between:—

The Excelsior Life Insurance Company

Plaintiff,

and

Albert Coghlin, Robert Cuthforth

Drummond and Sawyer & Massey

Company, Limited,

Defendants.

Pursuant to the judgment and final

order for sale made in this cause, and

bearing date respectively the 23rd day

of March, and the 7th day of November,

A.D. 1908, there will be sold, with

the approval of Mr. Justice Scott,

at Red Deer, by Arthur B. Nash, auctioneer

at the Court House, in the Town of Red Deer, at the hour of two

o'clock, p.m.,

On the Fifth Day of December,

1908,

the following lands and premises,

in one parcel:

The North-half of Section 24, in

Township 37, in Range 27, West of the

Fourth Meridian in the Province of

Alberta, containing 320 acres, more or

less.

The plaintiff is informed of the fol-

lowing particulars of the said land,

but these particulars are only given

for the convenience of, and not by way

of representation, to intending pur-

chasers, who should verify them them-

selves.

The land is suitable for dairy farm-

ing, and contains 80 acres of arable

land and 100 acres hay meadow land,

while the remainder is pasture land.

The water supply consists of a well.

The buildings consist of a farm house

and stable.

The lands are situate eight miles

from Red Deer, and two miles from a

church and school.

The property will be offered for sale

subject to a reserved bid.

The purchaser to pay 10 per cent of

his bid to the vendor, or his solicitor,

at the time of sale, the balance

without interest within 60 days into

Court.

In all other respects the terms and

conditions of sale will be the standing

conditions of the Supreme Court of

Alberta.

Further particulars can be had from

Bown & McDonald, of No. 7, Jasper

Avenue East, in the City of Edmonton,

Alberta, Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

Dated at Edmonton this 7th day

of November, 1908.

(Sgd) D. L. SCOTT,

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LOCAL & GENERAL.

J. T. Moore left for Ontario on Thursday last.

John Hookin paid a visit to his ranch out east the past week.

Mrs. M. P. McCall returned from the East last week.

Everett Martin is paying his friends in town and vicinity a visit from Edmonton.

The Waskasias have organized a hockey team for the local league and we understand an independent team has also organized.

There will be a public meeting of the ratepayers on Thursday Dec. 3rd, to discuss public questions relating to the town and receive reports from the different committees. It promises to be a very interesting meeting.

Mrs. Finley has decided to remain in Red Deer and will accept music pupils, piano or organ. A special primary class for young beginners, a three months course of two lessons a week, for \$5. Individual lessons, \$5 a term of ten lessons.

Mayor Gaetz left for Edmonton yesterday, in company with John Galt, civil engineer, who planned the septic tanks and filtration beds. They will appear before a meeting of the Provincial Board of Health in regard to the sewer outlet.

The Girls' Guild of St. Luke's Church will hold a sale of money work, ties and dolls, also fortune telling, refreshments, drawing for Christmas cake, etc., in Wilkin's Block Friday and Saturday afternoon and evening Nov. 27th and 28th.

The town has received the money for the \$4,500 Waterworks extension debentures, which cleans up all the old debentures to the present time. The local improvement debentures the Council have decided not to place on the market until spring.

On Dec. 9th church anniversary services will be held in the Horn Hill Methodist church at 3 p.m., and in the Penhold Methodist church at 7.30 p.m. The Rev. T. Phillips, of Innisfail, is expected to preach, and his presence should draw large congregations. A hearty welcome to all.

W. E. Payne spoke at the Men's Mass meeting at the Baptist Church on Sunday afternoon last and delivered a splendid address. He was listened to with a great deal of attention while he spoke on the question of "Imperial Preference." J. A. Carswell speaks on Sunday next on the life of Sir John A. Macdonald.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Luke's church announce a grand Christmas tree entertainment, in the Lyric Theatre, on Dec. 18th; and Santa Claus hopes everybody will come to see him. There will be three or four Christmas trees and numerous other attractions. A present on the trees for everybody. See announcements later.

Teddy Plumb lost \$5 and some change two weeks ago. If found it was to go to the church. The \$5 has not turned up. But Joseph Wallace, J.P., found five cents and thought it might have been Ted's, so he turned it over to the News to be placed to the credit of the church. So Teddy has the proud satisfaction of knowing five cents, at least, goes on the collection plate.

F. H. Tallman and S. N. Carscallen were busy yesterday soliciting subscriptions for the Memorial Hospital. They reported having met with fair success. This is an institution worthy of the consideration of every person in the community. Only those who have suffered and received tender care at the hands of the nurses can appreciate the benefits of the hospital. We hope the people will respond cheerfully to this call for aid.

The society column of The Mail and Empire, Toronto, contained the following, last Thursday: The engagement is announced of Mr. William Lorraine Gibson, manager of the Bank of Commerce, Red Deer, Alberta, and nephew of his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, to Miss Florence Annie Bull, youngest daughter of Mrs. Bartholomew Hill Bull, Hawthorne Lodge, Brampton; and sister of Mrs. Dr. Parsons, Red Deer.

Geo. F. Root is confined to his bed with a severe cold.

Geo. W. Greene is at McLeod this week on business.

Big Seaside production "Along the Kennebec" at Lyric to-night.

Henry Jamieson nearly lost his straw stack the other day. A spark in the straw was detected in the nick of time.

E. M. Willson, formerly of Clearview, has entered into partnership with C. W. Parkes in the Massey Harris Agency.

If you want a treat call at the English Cafe and have a dish of oysters. They are coming in in fine condition. Prices are right.

John Malcolm has been appointed general agent of the International Harvester Co. for B. C. and will move his family to Vancouver in the near future.

The Alberta Central Stockgrowers' Association will meet in Red Deer to-morrow, (Thursday) afternoon and evening, when addresses will be given by prominent speakers.

The Schubert Symphony Club Concert, under the auspices of the I.O.O.F., on Saturday, Nov. 28th, will be held in the Lyric Theatre. The prices are 50 and 75 cents. See ad. Curtain rises at 9 p.m.

Hospital donations this week are: Ladies Aid, two pair blankets; H.H. Drake, \$5 worth of meat coupons; Alexandra Club, \$27.50 worth of surgical supplies; Mr. Powell, magazines; Mrs. Voke, pickles.

The firemen received a call to Reid's blacksmith shop about six this morning. A spark had fallen from the stove and caught beneath the floor. No damage much was done. Second time for Reid's shop.

The mothers' meeting at Mrs. Dr. George's on Friday last was well attended. Mrs. George gave an address on how the society is conducted in the old country and its aims and objects. The address was listened to with considerable interest.

Edwell.

The Bishop of Calgary will preach and hold a service of confirmation at the monthly church of England service at Edwell, on Sunday, December 8th, at 7 p.m. All are cordially invited.

Poplar Ridge.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. Bowen, a daughter.

Miss Daisy Brownrigg was married to Mr. Spencer Lewis, November 4th, at Eastport, Idaho. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis will make their home at Eastport, where Mr. Lewis is a custom officer. The happy couple have the good wishes of the many friends. Miss Brownrigg has in Poplar Ridge.

Mr. Horsey gave us two splendid sermons on the gospel teaching in the school house.

Henry Hart has finished up threshing in the neighborhood. Henry has given very good satisfaction. He certainly can thresh grain clean.

Dancing seems the order of the day, and the young people are certainly making the best of it.

BLACKFALDS.

The Methodists of Blackfalds are making a strenuous effort to get their church at Eastport, Idaho, before the new year, and they are pressing the best musicians and elocutionists of Red Deer and Lacombe to help them in producing a concert of high merit. The concert and supper will take place on Friday, Dec. 4; and the anniversary services will be conducted on the following Sunday by Rev. T. Powell, of Lacombe, and Rev. T. A. Bowen.

BIRTHS.

Gregson—November 13th, at Blackfalds, wife of G. Leopold Gregson, a daughter.

At Red Deer, on Nov. 16th, '08, to Mr. and Mrs. M. E. North, a daughter.

In Red Deer, Sunday, Nov. 22nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Togo Atlee, a son.

A Decided Improvement.

Our reporter having occasion to visit Mr. Hall's store a few days ago was very much surprised at the extensive alterations that have taken place there during the past week. Owing to the steady increase in business Mr. Hall has found it necessary to provide more room and has therefore put in a fine gallery across the end of the store and fitted it up as a ladies department. Here the ladies of Red Deer and vicinity will always find the latest creations in skirts, mantles, coats and millinery. Owing to the numerous inquiries Mr. Hall has had for mens' and boys' furnishings he has decided to put in an up to date stock of the above. We were told that the stock was expected along in the course of a few days and that announcement thereof would be made through the press. The work of alteration was done by the old reliable firm of McKee & Cruikshank who as usual did themselves credit. We compliment Mr. Hall on his enterprise and wish him every success in his new venture.

For Exchange.

Horses, cattle and cash for land near Red Deer.—Address Lock Box 173 Red Deer.

Coat Found.

George Donnelly found a dark grey overcoat on the road last week. Owner can have it by applying to News Office.

Notice!

Tenders will be received by the Red Deer Memorial Hospital up to and including December 10th, 1908, for the following, viz: Fifty tons of Red Deer coal, to be delivered during the months of January and February, 1909, as required at the Hospital.

Also twenty-five cords of Poplar Cord Wood in four foot lengths, and split. The same to be piled on a convenient spot on the Hospital grounds to be chosen by the matron of the Hospital, and delivered not later than March 1st, 1909.

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Don't forget that we have a number of lines that make very pretty, as well as useful Xmas Gifts.

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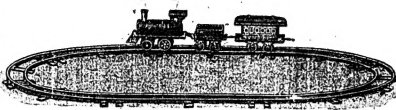
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Rope Walkers
Dolls' Cradles
Drums
Iron Banks
Tool Sets
Toy Brooms
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Fur Dogs
Teddy Bears
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Checker Boards
Drawing Slates
Shell Boxes
Children's Tea Sets
Colored Candles
&c., &c.



Christmas Gifts suitable for sending by mail.

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Fancy Handkerchiefs; Silk-lined Mocha Gloves, with Fur Cuffs; Fancy Dogskin Gloves; Kid Gloves; Fancy Collars and Belts; Dress Lengths; Waist Lengths.

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Plain and Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs; Initialed Handkerchiefs; Neck Ties; Neck Scarfs; Fur-lined Gloves; Silk-lined Gloves; Wool-lined Gloves; Slippers; Suspenders; Bath Robes; Smoking Coats; Fur Collars; Fur Coats.

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

Hockey Boots; Neck Ties; Mitts; Gloves; Furs; Handkerchiefs, &c.



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